



# Pioneer Mountains Scenic Byway MT PFH 73-1(5) Weekly Newsletter

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## Work completed during the week of October 2 through October 8:

Debco Construction continued excavation and embankment on the upper end of the project. Topsoil placement and obliteration of the old roadway also progressed. Coleman Construction poured the bridge deck and Cuddy & Associates continued survey staking.

## Activities scheduled for the week of October 9 through October 15:

Debco Construction will draw roadway excavation, embankment, topsoil placement, and roadway obliteration to a close for the year. Debco Construction will install erosion control measures and Apex Curb & Turf is scheduled to apply temporary and permanent seeding. Coleman Construction will continue work on the mainline bridge. Bridge completion is planned for November 5. Survey staking by Cuddy & Associates will continue as needed.

## Traffic Control:

WEEKDAYS: Flaggers and a pilot car guide traffic through the lower end of the project as needed (Dory Creek to Elkhorn Hot Springs). Traffic is being routed over the single lane snowmobile bridge during construction of the mainline bridge over Grasshopper Creek. From Elkhorn Hot Springs to Price Creek, traffic signals and a pilot car will be used until October 14<sup>th</sup> to guide traffic through the detour route. THE DETOUR IS STEEP AND NARROW. MAXIMUM OVERALL VEHICLE LENGTH ON THE DETOUR ROUTE IS 30 FEET. From October 17<sup>th</sup> to October 21<sup>st</sup>, flaggers and a pilot car will guide traffic through the mainline route from Elkhorn Hot Springs to Price Creek and there will be no length restrictions. Short delays can be expected during this time.

WEEKENDS: THE BYWAY IS OPEN TO PUBLIC TRAVEL!

Campgrounds: PRICE CREEK AND GRASSHOPPER CAMPGROUNDS ARE OPEN!

If you have any questions or comments regarding the status of the project, please call me at (406) 683-3452.

Respectfully,  
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## Have a safe weekend!

Project information is available at: [http://www.wfl.fha.dot.gov/projects/pioneer\\_mountains/](http://www.wfl.fha.dot.gov/projects/pioneer_mountains/)

